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Weather

Crisp, blue, autumn skies with warm afternoons and cool nights will dominate the valley at least through Wednesday. Early morning fog will dip the mercury to the low 40's, but temperatures should reach the 70's by mid-afternoon. Light winds are forecast. Monday's high at Livermore: 71.

Connection rates may be upped

Water connection charges and alternative water system operations head the Zone 7 Board of Directors meeting Wednesday, at 8 p.m. in the Del Valle Water Treatment Plant, 601 E. Vallecitos Rd., Livermore.

Directors will consider a staff proposal to set new water connection rates for 1976. Basic connection fee for 1975 is $650.

Zone 7 recorded 534 new connections in 1975 for a total revenue of $347,100.

A new formula for setting connection fees will be reviewed, based on a construction cost index.

Chief engineer Mun Mar will suggest the board consider linking increases in connection fees to increases in construcion costs.

"Most of the revenue from connection fees goes toward capital improvements, and by tying connection fees to construction costs the board could make sure the zone has the needed capital in the future," said Mar.

The staff will also present to the board a plan for altering the blend of well and treated water delivered to zone customers. Recent figures showed the zone is delivering a mix of 14 per cent well water and 86 per cent treated water. Zone 7 directors had asked staff to consider procedures to reduce or eliminate the amount of well water delivered its retailers.

Mar will report the zone plans to reduce pumping at its Mocho I well to one hour per week "just to keep the machinery going."

Mar said the zone would have to buy the same amount of power from Pacific Gas and Electric to keep the well on stand-by capability. He said the minimum power cost of Mocho I is $700 per month.

Staff will also ask the board to authorize hiring a firm to install metering equipment for the Livermore Rate Control Station. The device, when installed, will allow plant operators at Del Valle to monitor the amount of flow through the Patterson Pass line.

Gary Fiori checks negatives with Rob Jones and Teri Carpenello.

'Don't split the community'

Council kills PRA

PLEASANTON — The city's controversial redevelopment agency was dealt a preliminary death blow last night when the council voted four to one to disband the agency.

A formal vote will be taken next week after the city attorney's office checks the legality of the move.

Only Pleasanton Mayor Ed Kinney voted against the measure, claiming he thought the issue should be left to the voters in next March's scheduled referendum.

All councilmembers voted "reluctantly."

The motion to disband the agency was made by Roger McLain. Vice Mayor William Herlihy and councilmembers Joyce LeClaire and Bob Philcox concurred.

The council said it did not want to split the community over the controversial issue.

The council also heard a plea for financial aid for the Buenas Vidas Youth Ranch last night.

Youth ranch leader Sally Bystroff of Livermore said the county could subsidize the youth ranch and send troubled youths to it from all over the county. However, it would be better to limit the ranch to valley youths only, as intended when the ranch was formed, she said.

Currently there are five youths at the ranch — three from Livermore, two from Pleasanton. The ranch can keep a youth at a cost of $750 per month. Bystroff would like $1,300 per month from Pleasanton to support two Pleasanton youths.

She did not specifically ask for a city subsidy, but hoped for city proposals to raise the money.

During the brief presentation councilman William Herlihy suggested that families be billed for their children during their stay at the facility. Bystroff explained that some of the families are on welfare and unable to pay.

Herlihy said the families should pay what they can when they can, and Bystroff agreed it was a good point.

Total operating costs for the facility are estimated at $4,514 per month. The ranch plans two larege fund-raising events per year, but they won't cover all expenses.

Despite centennial

Parade on oblivion's edge

The County Fair Parade again stands on the threshhold of being eliminated with not even a "for the sake of the bicentennial" parade in 1976.

Alameda County Fair directors will make a decision on the parade's fate at their Tuesday, Dec. 9 meeting in Pleasanton.

Lee Hall, secretary - manager for the Fair, and Pete Bailey, assistant manager, said it was their belief the directors are looking for comment from valley residents as well as the Pleasanton Chamber of Commerce and City of Pleasanton before pumping life back into what has become an institution spanning nearly four decades.

Specifically, the Fair board seeks financial assistance from community groups such as the chamber as many believe interest in the parade has fallen far below the expense and effort put forth. The Fair expended $4,200 for the 1975 parade.

In previous years both the city AND chamber have had agreements with the Fair Association to contribute up to $300 each. The chamber, citing ever - tightening finances, did not participate financially in the '75 parade.

A Fair entertainment committee recommendation to discontinue the parade was sent back to that panel by the board with the request to try and work out an arrangement with community groups to at least hold the parade in '76.

The Pleasanton Bicentennial Festivals Committee has urged a bicentennial theme for the '76 parade. However, the theme would be a moot point if the board decides Dec. 9 there hasn't been sufficient interest shown to warrant continuation.

Chairman of the entertainment committee is Richard McCarthy, an Oakland resident.

The parade has traditionally been held the first Sunday of the Fair, signalling opening of its two-week run.

Classroom teacher

Class born at accident

(This is the ninth in a continuing series on The Classroom Teacher, featuring elementary and high school teachers in the Murray, Pleasanton, Amador and San Ramon school districts)

DUBLIN— It might be said the photography elective at Nielsen School was born at the scene of an accident, progressed to a bathroom darkroom and matured in a light-sealed room with six enlargers and 75 kids with 75 cameras.

Gary Fiorio, a seventh grade social sciences and seventh-eighth grade photography teacher at Nielsen, got his start in professional photography while a high school student at Amador Valley High.

Purchasing his first camera at a hock shop, Fiorio sometime later was taking pictures at the scene of an accident when a fellow photog suggested he apply for a photo job with The Times.

Fiorio honed his skills during his high school and college days, the latter at Cal State Hayward, and graduated with a BA in history.

There never was any doubt in Fiorio's mind what he wanted to do after graduation and where he wanted to do it at.

Thus, he is now in his seventh year of teaching, all of it to date in the Murray School District.

His initial teaching experience was gained via an internship program organized by Cal State and administered at that time by Ellen Nelson at Frederiksen School.

Bill Crozier, now assistant superintendent in the San Ramon Valley District, hired Fiorio while he was principal at Nielsen. For the first four years, Fiorio taught fourth and fifth grades classes and then, in 1973, he moved up to seventh-eighth grades.

He readily admits that when he came out of college he was "gung ho for getting an administrative credential" but has now moderated this ambition.

Intelligent and self-effacing, Fiorio possesses the attributes that would make a good administrator, classroom teacher or counselor.

Photography soon outstripped the hock shop-accident scene apprenticeship and by 1972 had advanced to a 4-by-6 foot bathroom at Nielsen!

Or to put it another way, even the bathroom darkroom was an improvement over some "real funky paper and pencil electives."

From that humble beginning with 10 students and one enlarger, Fiorio has advanced to a large classroom with six enlargers— weather-stripped around the doors to keep out the light— and 75 students.

The classroom-darkroom is the "nerve center" for Nielsen's yearbook, The Nielsen Ocelot.

Beginning in October, the seventh and eighth graders start learning elementary photographic procedures— including the time-honored pinhole camera— toward the initial objective of taking pictures for the yearbook.

Fiorio is attempting to give his students more and more overall responsibility for the yearbook production, including sales. It is the latter that determines if a yearbook, in fact, is printed.

Students must have 150 sales in hand before the book can go to the printer.

The yearbook photo and copy deadline is February with the finished product coming back from the printer about the first week in June so students will have a chance to pass them around for autographs.

Though the school has only 160 seventh and eighth graders, electives are still a very important commodity to the youngsters.

And the photo elective should continue to draw more'n more students.

Particularly when the new intermediate school is completed in the same general area as Nielsen.

The school will include a fully-equipped darkroom that will be in no small measure the result of Fiorio's expertise.

But the photography elective is just a part of his teaching responsibilities. Fiorio also teaches world history and cultures.

"My goal for the first semester is to at least take the students through some world history, leaving part of the third and most of the fourth quarter to the discussion of contemporary issues.

"I like to throw in not only contemporary issues but value judgement and research items for term papers," the scion of a pioneer Pleasanton family relates.

"Actually, the value judgement exercises are experiences in thinking."

Fiorio finds current issues quite valuable in honing the thought processes of his junior high charges.

When not involved in the classroom, Fiorio is devoting time to a district social science materials committee and is contemplating an appointment to a valley-wide committee that would link schools with the legislature.

Three years ago he was the first president of the Murray Professional Educators Group.

The young educator's father runs a market on First Street in Pleasanton and his grandmother was born and raised on Main Street.

—by Al Fischer

Rancher Wagoner dies at 88

Services were held from Hull's Walnut Creek Chapel on Monday for William J. Wagoner. Mr. Wagoner passed away in Walnut Creek on Nov. 20. He was 88.

A longtime Livermore rancher before selling his property to the Sunset Homes development, Mr. Wagoner later made his home on Foothill Road in Pleasanton. He was a Past Master of Livermore Lodge 218 F&AM and member of the Fifth California National Guard.

He is survived by his wife, Grace E. Wagoner; brother of William Gatzmer Wagoner of Livermore and Miss Marian Wagoner and Mrs. Henrietta Jacker.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Alan Taylor of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Walnut Creek. Private cremation services followed.

Old Murray School to be moved today

DUBLIN — After a long battle, Old Murray School will finally be moved from its 119-year-old foundation to a site adjacent to Old St. Raymond's Church today beginning at 8 a.m.

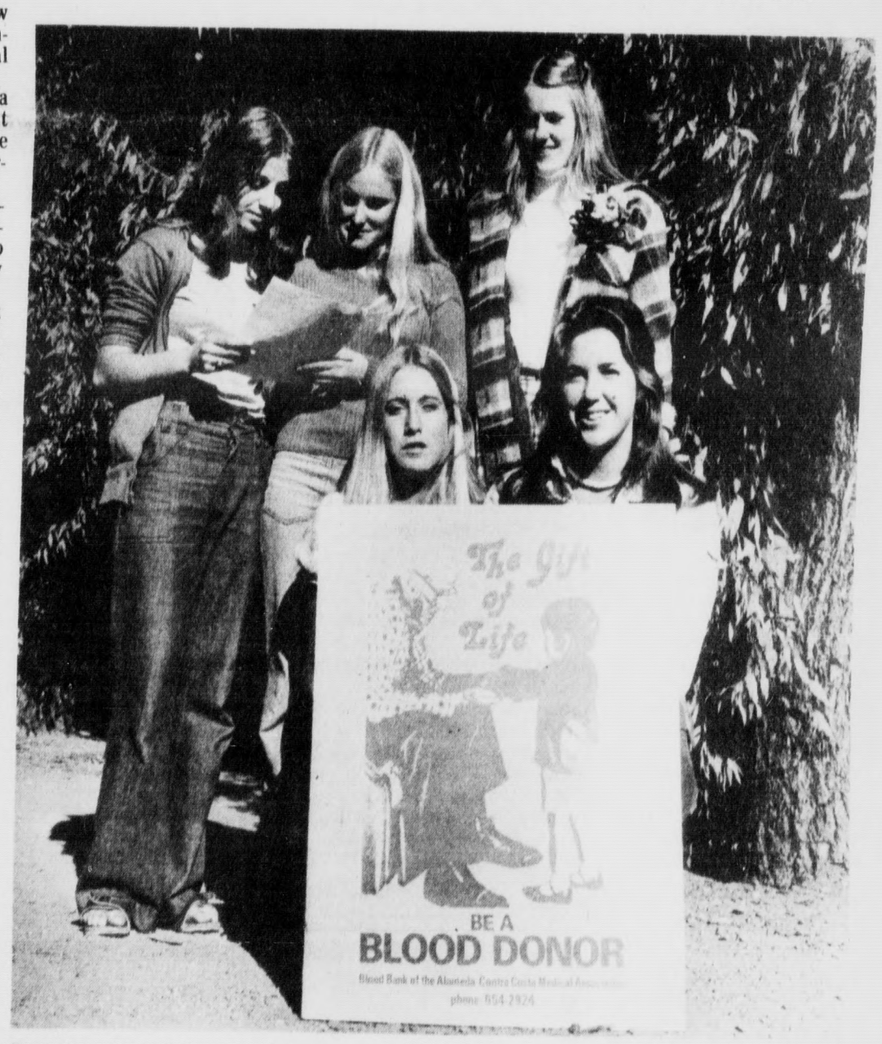
California Dept. of Transportation's Don Miller yesterday said the old schoolhouse would be lifted from its foundation and towed along Foothill Road over Interstate 580 to its new address on Donlon Road.

The former Primitive Baptist Church, currently resting in the path of I-580's imminent widening, will be used as a cultural and heritage center for the Amador Valley.

The Dublin Historical preservation Association, which formed to try and preserve the structure, hopes it will form an historical hub with Old St. Raymond's, the Jeremiah Fallon house, and a blacksmith's shop.

A permit to move the schoolhouse was granted last week by county zoning adminsistrator Richard Flynn on the condition that the new site meet state and national flood control criteria and that arrangements be made for future off-street parking.

A spokesperson for the Murray School District said the actual relocation process would begin at 10 a.m. The school is expected to be moving across the I-580 overpass on Foothill Road at about 11 a.m.



First-time blood donors: Sylviane O'Neill, head of the GHS blood drive, signs up Susan Anderson for the Dec. 3 effort; displaying poster are (from left) Laurie Workman, Sandy Kelly, Karen Gunn. (Times photo)

Granada blood drive promises to be a success

LIVERMORE — Sylviane O'Neill gained five pounds this month — just so she could be over the 110-lb. weight limit to donate blood.

The blue-eyed Granada High senior is heading the school's first blood drive, which has gone over so big that a week before Donation Day the signup sheet is already almost filled.

Sylviane is talking about bringing back the Alameda - Contra Costa Medical Association's bloodmobile the next day, to serve would-be donors who couldn't get an appointment for Wednesday, Dec. 3. Blood is so badly needed this time of year, she's sure the association won't turn down a single offer.

"Tell people to call me at home (447-7647)," Sylviane says eagerly. "Or, have them call the school district at 447-9500, extension 202. We won't turn anybody away."

The latter number puts you through to the office of Geraldine Deck, head of the Livermore school district's nurses and professional "consultant" to the Granada High students.

Blood donors must be at least 17, weigh 110 lbs., and have signed permission slips.

Some students have had trouble convincing their parents they won't faint on the way home from school after the effort (actually, most people have at least nine pints of blood and their bodies replace the liquid within 24 hours.)

Others are thinking about fortifying themselves with lots of liver. And those who aren't 17 yet are clamoring for a second blood drive in the spring, after more birthdays have taken place.

High school students have a big incentive for giving blood. The medical association is giving away $3,000 worth of musical instruments to the school that raises the most blood this year.

"I don't think most of the students even know that, though," says Sylviane. "and if they did, I don't think it would affect their decision."

The drive was publicized through posters, newspaper notices and mostly by enthusiastic word-of-mouth. The school's Civics classes, which are the starting point for a number of worthy community projects, have also been a catalyst in getting the blood drive going.

A few teachers have signed up, but it's mostly seniors who will be giving blood. Not eligible are people who have recently had their ears pierced or been tattooed; had a tooth pulled in the past three days; had hepatitis, syphilis, undulant fever, epilepsy, uncontrolled diabetes, blood diseases, heart diseases, malaria or recent surgery.

Also not eligible are those who are getting over a cold. One girl who had made her blood donation appointment privately confessed: "I hope I get a cold that day."

Most of the students are a bit apprehensive about seeing a pint of their lifeblood siphoned off into a plastic bag. But they realize that paid blood donations have been outlawed, and that Bay Area hospitals are relying entirely on volunteers' blood now.

They also know that Livermore residents will be given credit for the blood, through the Senior Class Donor Club.

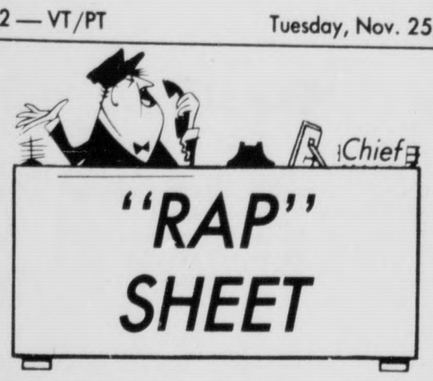
That means anyone in Livermore who needs blood can apply to the Granada High Class of '76. A board of students will decide how many credits they can release to any individual, regardless of whether he has donated or not.

They already know of one case they plan to help, a small boy who has leukemia.

They may be uncomfortable at the thought, but GHS seniors will be in the school gym next Wednesday, rolling up their sleeves as they listen to cheerful music from Sylviane's stereo and receive encouragement from their classmates.

You're invited to join them.

— by Pat Kennedy



LIVERMORE — Complaints of a loud party next door early Sunday led to the arrest of four people for investigation of an assortment of drug-related charges, police said yesterday.

Residents of an apartment in the 800 block of Flores told police that neighbors were banging on walls, falling down and disturbing the peace.

Livermore Police Officer Barry Foye went to the noisy apartment and was met by a shirtless man who asked why the police were called. Foye noticed the man's speech was slurry and asked, "Are you drunk?," to which the man allegedly replied, "Marijuana, with a little alcohol."

A search of the apartment turned up a what police said was a baggie of marijuana, three handrolled cigarets, two marijuana cigaret butts, and a baggie of a white crystalline substance which police suspect is a drug.

Arrested were Gary William Cummings, 21, of 4793 Woodthrush; Uolevi Satu Lahti, 21, of 3974 Mt. Ranier Ct., both of Pleasanton; Ronna Jean Gonzalez, 20, of 851 Flores; and Carol Anne Wanberg, 20, of 2876 Waverly Way, both of Livermore.

Bail for those arrested ranged from $5,500 to $6,350.

Antique and new jewelry stolen

LIVERMORE — Jewelry valued at $390, and two pieces more than 50 years old on which no price could be set, were taken from a home in the 1000 block of Lynn St. Sunday.

Genevieve Lee Troxell told police she returned home only an hour after she had left and found that thieves had broken into her house and made a selective search of her bedroom to find the valuabler.

Taken were two diamond necklaces, one diamond ring, one initialed gold wedding band, one ladies' watch, a 50-year-old men's pocket watch, and a 100-year-old ladies' pocket watch.

Police have no suspects in the case.

Exxon station burglarized

PLEASANTON — Police suspect the burglary of Jerry's Exxon on Santa Rita Road early Saturday, which netted thieves $120 in coins and 45 cartons of cigarets, was an "inside" job.

Security bars over a window were bent back and five panes of a vertically-running shutter-type window were removed, which initially led police to believe that was the point of entry.

Further investigation, however, showed that the panes couldn't have been removed from the outside without breakage. Police theorize that the thieves entered by using a key. then moved a candy machine blocking the window, bent the window bars back and removed the panes.

An employe of the station said $95 in change and $20 in pennies was taken during the early morning burglary. Police are scanning the employe rolls over the past year in search of suspects.

Car fire was apparent booby-trap

LIVERMORE — Police have determined that a car fire which occurred early Sunday was the result of a well-planned booby-trap designed to engulf the car in flames.

Michael Edward Williams of Geraldine St. was attempting without success to start his 1960 Corvair. He finally got out and opened the hood and was suddenly engulfed in smoke as flames covered the engine.

After calling the Fire Dept., Williams put the fire out himself by pouring baking soda on it.

Officer Daniel O'Donnell examined the engine and found the fuel lines to both carburetors had been loosened, which allowed gas to leak when the accelerator was pumped. A spark plug wire had been placed near the carburetor so a spark would ignite the gas as the engine was being turned over.

Police have no suspects, and Williams has no idea who might have set the fire, except for saying that the trap might have been intended for a police officer who lived next door to him.

Vandals cause approximately $200 damage to house

PLEASANTON — Approximately $200 damage was caused by vandals who threw rocks, eggs and paint against a house in the 5000 block of Hillcrest Way late Friday.

Resident Louis Tams said he heard loud banging noises and went outside to investigate. He found yellow paint splattered on the side of the house, a damaged screen and a broken window.

Safeway receives third bomb threat in month

LIVERMORE — A raspy male voice Friday told a bakery department employe of the First St. Safeway store "There's a bomb in your store" and then hung up, the third such threat in a month to Safeway stores in the valley.

A police search closed the store for a short time but uncovered no bomb.

—by Bill Cauble

Tupperware offers trip $

LIVERMORE — Need some Tupperware?

A full line of the famous plastic products will be for sale at Fifth Street School today and tomorrow. It's part of a fundraiser to send 50 sixth graders to the mountains for a week of nature study.

Marin County Outdoor School will once again be the site of an educational trip next spring. Cost is $50 per student and the fund-raiser will provide scholarships for children who otherwise would not be able to go.

Tupperware displays will be set up from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Catalogues of Tupperware items will also be available, and if there's a Fifth Street School pupil on your block, he or she probably has a catalogue at home as well.

Mrs. Wanda Gilmore, a Tupperware saleslady, will be in charge of the project today and tomorrow Further information is available from her (447-8641).

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Christmas couple

"Meet Mrs Santa Claus," says Santa to all his friends. Mr. and Mrs. Claus are creations of Bonnie Picaman of Livermore who works as a courier for the Pleasanton/Valley Times. The couple is made from Readers' Digest, checked gingham, cotton balls, red felt, styrofoam and faces from a hobby shop. They stand approximately 12 inches high. Bonnie is selling the set at $20 per couple. Anyone interested in purchasing a set or wanting further information may call Bonnie at 447-5973.

Volunteers gather

Asian student aid under way

LIVERMORE — The Livermore Unified School District's project to help its 52 Southeast Asian immigrant students is successfully underway.

Fifty volunteers turned out Saturday morning at a gathering in Fifth Street School. Olive Greene, an English as a Second Language teacher, and Tom Medeiros, a project leader who has worked in various Bay Area programs, had hoped for 100 volunteers as an ideal figure, but were pleased at the turnout.

Latecomers will still be welcomed into the project — prospective volunteers are asked to call 447-9500 (ext. 240) to sign up.

Saturday's meeting featured a Vietnamese teachers' college professor from Saigon who described differences between Vietnamese amd American cultures.

In Vietnam, he said, children are taught never to question the teacher. The lively question - and - answer format of many American classes will be new to them and they should be encouraged to take part, speaker Thien told the group.

Vietnamese children are also used to very strict discipline. They only attended school four hours a day in their native country (rural children sometimes not at all) and after elementary school had to take an exam in order to continue on to high school, a coveted privilege. Children who weren't in the lucky minority didn't have the opportunity for further schooling unless their parents could afford to send them to private school.

That system had one asset — it kept behavior from becoming an issue at school in high school. If a student was bumptious, he was thrown out and replaced with someone from the waiting list.

After the impressive talk, the 50 Livermore volunteers gave names, addresses, phone numbers and a list of their skills to coordinators Medeiros and Greene.

This week, a "screen and match" process will be taking place. The school district team will call the volunteers, find out what kind of work they prefer, and try to match the students' needs with volunteers' preferences.

"We have a wide variety of needs," Mrs. Greene reports, "from children who almost don't know a word of English, to some who can function almost normally in the classroom."

You don't need to know the student's native language in order to teach him English, she says. Some knowledge of French sometimes helps to bridge the communication gap since many Vietnamese speak that language.

Some teachers want the children to have private language lessons outside of the classroom. Others would like a volunteer to interpret the regular goings-on of the classroom to the child.

A third way a volunteer can help is to become a "big brother" or "big sister," taking the student around on weekends or after school and including him in social activities. The volunteers who came to Saturday's meeting had a wide variety of backgrounds. There was a large contingent of Granada High students; some college students from Cal State, Hayward; senior citizens; teachers who weren't working; housewives; and local residents from all walks of life.

Besides organizing volunteers and giving them lessons on how to be tutors, Mrs. Greene and Medeiros will be ordering classroom materials. Those will include "Distar" self-help study kits "Language Master" photo-and-sound sets. Tutors who know how to use thd Laubach method of teaching literacy will be able to continue with that approach. Educational games will also be on hand.

The Livermore school district will be getting a $300-per-child allowance from the federal government to help the displaced Southeast Asian children (most of them Vietnamese, but some Cambodian and Korean) and their teachers.

Since the total of $15,600 isn't enough to provide full-time teachers for all 52 of the students, the school district is spending the money on Mediros and Greene as consultants (at $50 a day apiece for each working day).

The pair are in charge of training volunteers and coordinating the unique project.Their accomplishments will be reviewed in mid-January and the project will either be continued or modified at that point.

— by Pat Kennedy

Host families sought for South American students

High school students ages 15-18 will be arriving in California from South America in late January.

These students are part of a world-wide exchange program known as Pacific Intercultural Exchange (PIE), a non-profit corporation operating the student exchange program under State Department guidelines.

The programs place students in average American homes, providing for them the opportunity to attend high schools in this state, to gain greater proficiency in the English language and to acquire a better understanding of our country and customs.

Host families are needed for these students who will be living and studying in the United States for one semester.

Size, wealth or age of host family members are not the most important ingredients. Exchange students have been happily placed with families with small children, no children and even one-parent families.

PIE is also accepting applications from American teenagers for the Study Abroad Programs Students, 15-18, may choose from a variety of programs including: Summer homestays and six-month or one-year homestay/study programs in Europe, South America or Japan. Students will live with families and attend school in the host country.

Interested host families and students may obtain information and applications by telephoning or writing to: Carol Weishenk, 1041 Hatteras Court, Foster City (415) 574-1445.

Site protection zone proposed

LIVERMORE — Areas and structures in the city which may have special historical or aesthetic character would be protected and preserved under a new zoning ordinance proposed by the planning commission.

The new designation is known as "heritage site preservation" and could apply to works of man (buildings, ruins, burial grounds) works of nature (grove of trees, geological formation, natural land configuration) or a site (trail, camp, village) found by the city to have particular historical or cultural significance.

Commissioners will review the first draft of the proposed ordinance at their study session tonight starting at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Court Chambers, 39 S. Livermore Ave.

Also appearing on their session agenda is discussion of fence setback regulations for corner lots, design review procedures, and energy conservation committee formation and goals.

Under the heritage site preservation designation (which must be assigned in addition to the existing zoning of the area) changes in the land use would be allowed only through the approval of a conditional use permit.

Conditional use permits also would be necessary to alter or change the physical character of the land (clear or grade, remove trees or other vegetation) or of a building or structure (raze, remodel, enlarge).

The idea for such an ordinance germinated from local attorney David Madis' submittal to the commission of a tentative parcel map to subdivide the lots along Trevarno Road.

Trevarno Road, a picturesque street lined with walnut trees and spacious lots, dates back to the 1920's. Although it contains 12 homes, the area is zoned light industrial. By assigning heritage site preservation status to the road, the city could assure the 12 lots remain residential and three new vacant lots are used for residential purposes — rather than all becoming industrial developments, as would be otherwise allowed by the zoning.

"To me, part of the attraction of Trevarno Road is that it provides a unique living environment," explained Candy Simonen, chairwoman of the planning commission.

Also to be ironed out between the city and Madis are the public works improvements for the road.

The water, sewers, utilities, storm drains and even the road itself are not up to city standards.

Somonen said she thought most of the improvements should be brought up to city standards but the widening of the road — which would affect the character of the area — may not be required.

Commissioners take no action at study sessions and the Trevarno Road subdivision map is scheduled to be considered again at their first meeting in January.

— By Karel Kramer

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Valley seniors services listed

Throughout the valley increased attention is being paid to the needs of senior citizens. From discount taxi rides to free medical exams, programs have been set up to help older citizens meet basic needs, and enjoy themselves, too.

Here is a list of some of the programs and services designed for the aged:

MEDICAL CARE

• Health Care Center operates a general medical clinic for low income senior citizens, Monday through Friday, 4361 Railroad Ave., Pleasanton. Call 462-1755 for an appointment.

Fridays, from 1:30 to 3:30, the Center has a drop-in clinic for seniors only. Blood pressure and diabetes checks, and flu shots are administered free of charge. Other medical services are provided on a sliding fee scale. Minimum charge is $2.

The Center also provides assistance in purchasing prescriptions at reduced cost for people not covered by medi-Cal or medicare. The service is not available to people with private medical insurance.

• Senior Citizens Center, 2466 8th St , Livermore, offers free blood pressure checks from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the first Monday of each month. Call 443-1150 for details.

TRANSPORTATION

• Minibus transportation throughout the valley is available to Pleasanton and Sunol residents only by calling 846-8175 between noon and 4 p.m., 24 hours in advance of when you want to go. Seniors with access to private cars are urged to leave the 12-passenger bus to those who have no other transportation.

Service includes door - to - door transportation Shopping trips are also scheduled.

• Six dollars worth of BART tickets is available for 60 cents to senior citizens at the following banks: United California Bank, 1790 First St., Livermore; Security Pacific Bank, 60 S. P St., Livermore; Crocker National Bank, 7181 Regional St., Dublin; United California Bank, 9000 Alcosta Blvd., San Ramon.

• AC Transit Bus offers reduced fares for senior citizens. Seniors may ride these buses for 10 cents per zone, or 20 cents maximum one way.

• Tri-Valley Cab, 455-6161, has discount taxi coupons on sale to seniors. Pay $4.50 for $5 worth of coupons, $9 for $10 worth of coupons, or $18 for $20 worth of coupons.

• Taxi tickets for seniors who qualify are available at Livermore City Hall finance department. Seniors must be more than 60 years old and qualify under the State Supplemental Program, Supplemental Security Income, or public assistance to be eligible for a maximum of ten 50-cent taxi tickets per month.

MEALS

• Pleasanton Gardens operates a hot lunch program five days a week at 251 Kottinger Ave., Pleasanton. Meals are served in the Pleasanton Gardens social hall at 11:30 a.m. Reservations must be made a day in advance by calling 846-3050. Space is limited to 30 people. Seniors are asked to donate what they can afford for the meal.

• Many area restaurants offer a 10 per cent discount on meals. Ask at the register for a senior discount card at these stores: Howard Johnson's in Dublin, Smorgabob's and Sambo's (3 to 7 p.m. only) in Livermore.

MISCELLANEOUS PROGRAMS

• The Texaco Station on Parkway Blvd. and Alcosta Blvd. in San Ramon offers 2 cents off on a gallon of gas and 10 to 15 per cent discount on automobile parts and labor. Ask at the station for additional information.

• Many movie theatres are now offering senior discount cards. Check locals theatres for details.

• Local senior citizens groups keep up on programs for older people. Groups meet regularly, providing educational information and a variety of recreational activities.

Contact the group in your area:

Senior Californians of Dublin - San Ramon: Shannon Park Community Center, 828-7711 or call president Lulu Westenberg at 828-8553.

Pleasanton VIPs: meets Mondays, Veterans Bldg., 301 Main St., call Alma Rasmussen at 846-2783.

Livermore Senior Citizens Center: 2466 8th St., call director Lillian Snorf at 443-1150.

— by Karen Boyle

A senior citizen receives his free flu shot at Shannon Park Community Center, one of the many activities sponsored by the Senior Californians of Dublin-San Ramon.

Boy Scouts donate Christmas pillows

Junior Troop No. 1069 from Valley View School have been busy making pillows that will be donated to the "Community Christmas Program." They also will be decorating 78 plates, baking cookies to fill them and present the completed project to patients at Pleasanton Convalescent Hospital for Christmas.

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The decision applies to persons who were eligible for Medi-Cal as "medically needy" between Sept. 1, 1971 and Feb. 1, 1973 and who were required to pay part of the costs of their medical expenses.

Most people eligible for the repayment have already been contacted by the California Department of Health by mail.

If you are a valley residen and have not been contacted, and think you are eligible for a refund, call this toll-free number, 462-5388, and ask for Mary Locke or Sylvia Lanin.

If you are currently receiving aid, contact your Medi-Cal worker.

The Department of Health estimates that during the 17-month period, some 60,000 persons who were classified as medically needy may now qualify for a reimbursement.

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Proficiency test deadline nears

SACRAMENTO — State Superintendent of Public Instruction Wilson Riles today issued a reminder that Friday, Nov. 28 is the registration deadline for those who want to take the new high school proficiency test on Dec. 20.

Riles said registration forms, available at all public and most private high schools, must be signed by a school administrator and should be mailed with the $100 fee no later than Tuesday, Nov. 25.

Further information is also available from Educational Testing Service, 1947 Center St , Berkeley 95704, (415) 849-0950.

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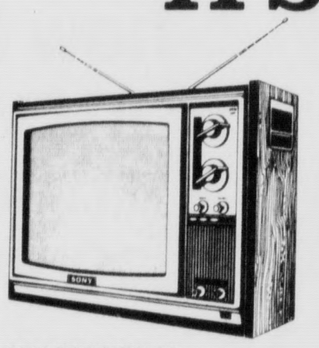

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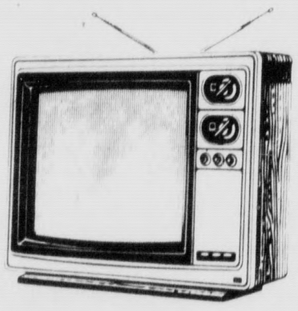

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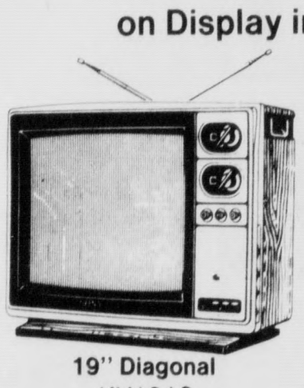

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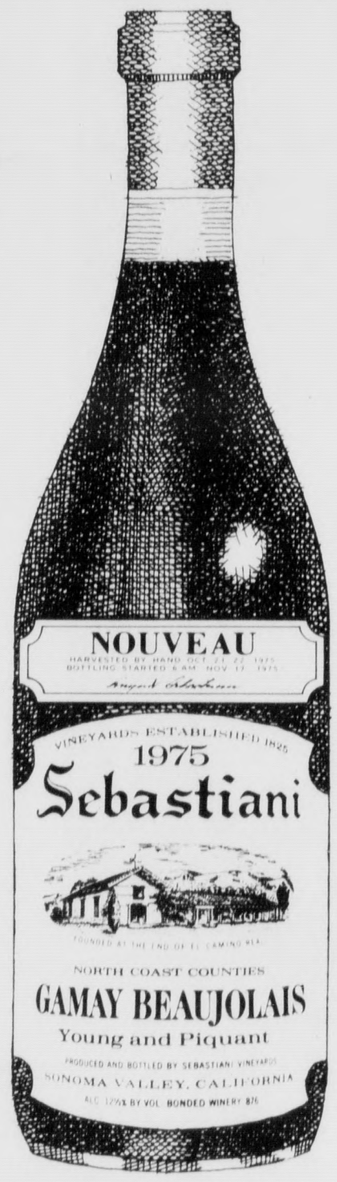

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Newcomers and newest fashions

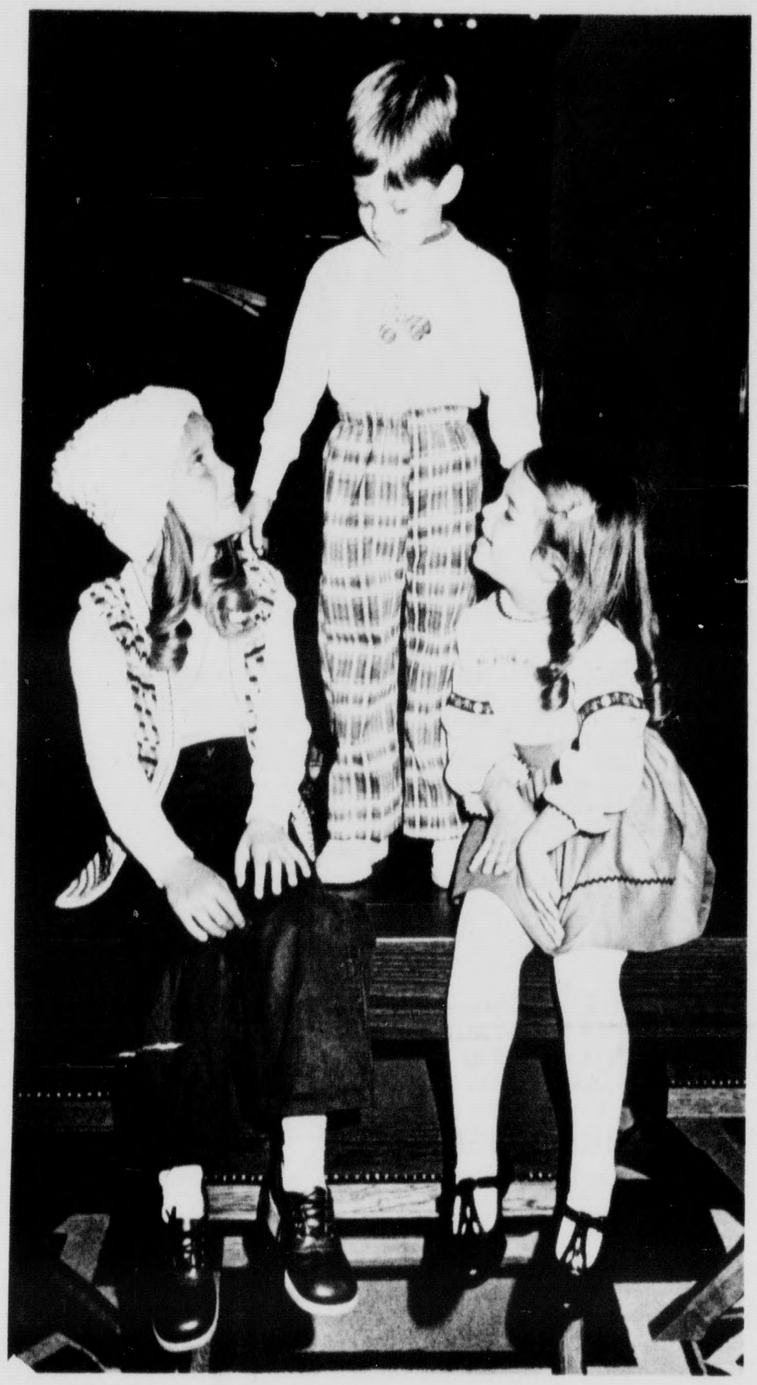
Newcomers to the valley —new residents of Pleasanton and Livermore — were introduced to fashions from A Separate Affair women's apparel shop in Dublin during a recent series of fashion shows at Castlewood Country Club.

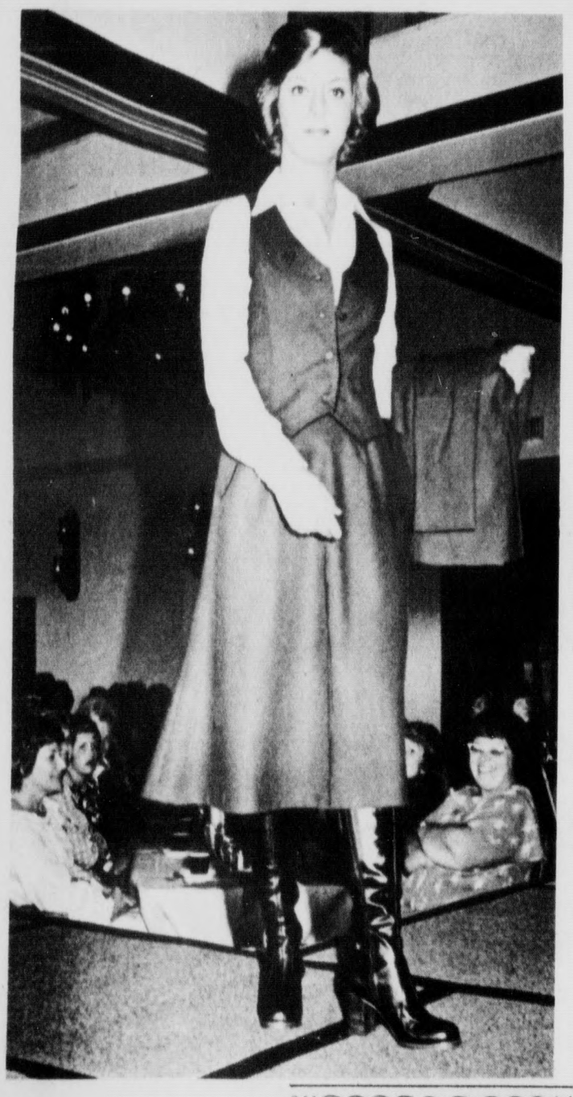
Members of the club portrayed high-fashion models and donned casual and holiday styles. Younger models were children of Newcomer members displaying clothes for the younger set from the Kiddi Kage in Pleasanton.

Prints in soft fabrics, the "long look," pant suits, mix-and-match coordinates take the spotlight for fall fashions. Boots will once again be "in" as an accessory to complete the stylish ensemble. With the coming of the bicentennial year, colors of red-white-and-blue will be popular, as well as gowns featuring designs of the "good ole days."

The gypsy allure of soft, body-hugging knit and matching scarf create an ultra-feminine Debra Selway.

Jeans are still the thing, this time in soft brushed denim and interesting details — filled by Sandy Clark.





Trio of Valarie Caplan, Bart Damele and Karrie Joaquin is irresistible in comfy, cosey play outfits and holiday dress-up style.

The 'height' of fashion this season is Sharon Newell in a tailored ensemble with high-top boots

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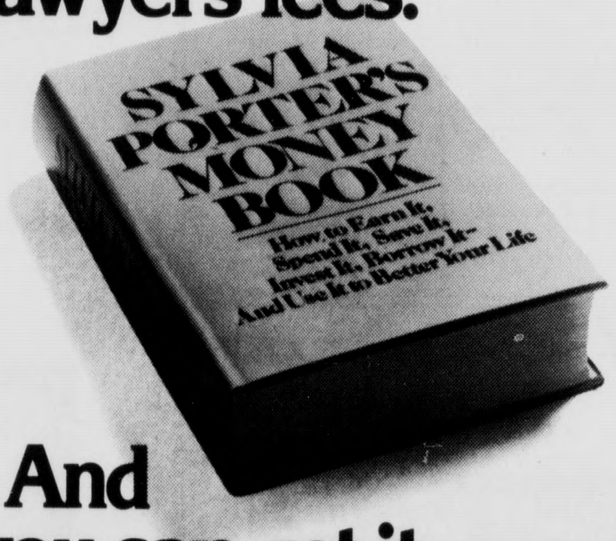

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A Mat win is no guarantee

Granada High School could win the North Coast Four A football title Friday night and still not receive consideration as the East Bay's number one team.

It all depends on the whim of eight or nine sports writers who vote weekly for the East Bay's top 15. Eight voted yesterday, and boosted the Matadors from sixth to third place by virtue of their stunning 35-21 whipping of Mission San Jose.

Two other playoff teams are ahead of the Matadors, however. Number one is Pinole Valley, which defeated Clayton Valley, 10-7, Friday. Pinole will face Granada this weekend for the Four A championship at Diablo Valley College.

The stickler, if you're worried about the poll, could be Alhambra High School. The Bulldogs jumped on Harry Ells, 36-0 Saturday, and moved up a notch to second in the ratings.

Alhambra will face Mt. Eden next Saturday for the Two A title.

Should the Bulldogs win that one, they could conceivably earn enough votes to be named the top team in the East Bay, regardless of Granada's efforts efforts.

Pinole received 118 points in this week's polling. The Spartans were awarded six first place votes. Alhambra had 111 points and a single first place vote, while Granada had 106 and one.

The season's final poll will be published following next weekend's playoff finals.

Of course even if you aren't concerned over arbitrary ratings, there is still that important North Coast championship awaiting Granada.

The unlikely Matadors, who two years ago won only two games, are just a step away from their biggest ever sports championship. They have won nine in a row now after an opening day defeat. And they soundly trounced the East Bay's top team of a week ago, Mission San Jose.

The new leader, Pinole, is 11-0, and the champion of the tough Alameda County Athletic League. The Spartans eked out a heart-stopping 10-7 decision over Clayton Valley in the playoff opener last week.

Pinole wide receiver Mark Noonan booted a 23-yard field goal to win the game with 2:34 left to play. In the closing seconds. however, the Spartans had to sweat out a 26-yard effort by Clayton's Dan Zamora. The kick was just short.

East Bay Prep Poll

With team followed by first place votes in parentheses, record, points and rank last week.

1-Pinole Vly. (6)	11-0	118	2
2-Alhambra (1)	11-0	111	3
3-Granada (1)	**9-1**	**106**	**6**
4-Mission SJ	10-1	94	1
5-Clayton Vly.	7-2-1	84	4
6-Mt. Eden	9-1	83	9
7-Washington	8-2	66	5
8-Berkeley	7-3	60	7
9-Skyline	7-2	56	8
10-Marina	8-2	44	10
11-Campolindo	8-2	38	11
12-Harry Ells	6-4-1	25	12
13-Northgate	6-3	21	t13
14-Richmond	7-3	18	t13
15-Moreau	8-2-1	15	hm

Honorable mention — Antioch 7-3; Salesian 8-2; Alameda 6-3-1; Piedmont 6-3-1; Pittsburg 6-4; Pacifica 5-5; Amador 5-4; Emery 8-1-1; Oakland 4-5.

DiStefano leads US domination

American Tony DiStefano led a near U.S sweep of the Trans-AMA Motocross Sunday at Carnegie Cycle Park in Livermore.

The Team Suzuki rider from Pennsylvania finished second and first in the two motos to gain the overall championship from Californian Jim Weinert. Two other Californians, Marty Smith and Gary Semics, finished third and fourth on the rugged Livermore course.

One of the pre-race favorites, Gerrit Wolsink of the Netherlands, wound up in fifth place. He was the only non-American to place in the top 10 overall.

Superstar Roger DeCoster suffered through a miserable afternoon, experience ignition trouble during the first moto, then crashing dramatically during the final race.

DeCoster was slicing through the pack after a bad start on the second moto, and had just caught Wolsink and Jim West, who were trailing eventual winner DiStefano.

DeCoster passed both riders as he flew over a jump in front of the pits. Then, suddenly, his entire fork assembly snapped off, spilling the rider on to the course, while his bike skidded on top of him.

DeCoster sustained facial lacerations, and was flown to Valley Memorial Hospital for treatment.

DiStefano took over the lead midway through the second moto, and led down to the checkered flag. Smith made a dramatic drive in the second race, advancing from the rear of the pack to eighth place at the finish, and third overall.

Smith won the first moto after a furious battle early with Weinert. DiStefano overtook Weinert late in the race to finish just behind Smith.

Top transplanted American, Pierre Karsmakers, retired halfway through the first race, complaining of a "bad foot."

DiStefano's victory was the fourth by an American in this year's Trans-AMA series. For DeCoster, his disasterous afternoon could have more long-lasting effect Wolsink or DiStefano could pass Roger as the Trans-AMA point leader.

— Ric Lum

Trans-AMA Results

Tony DiStefano, Pa.; Jim Weinert, Ca.; Marty Smith, Ca.; Gary Semics, Ca.; Gerrit Wolsink, Netherlands; Jim West, Ca.; Kent Howerton, Tex.; Brad Lackey, Ca ; Gaylon Mosier, Ca.; Rich Therwaldson, Ca.

MAT MAIDS PSYCHE UP FOR GRANADA
Julie Dugan grasps Elida Zamarripa.

. . .and may the best girl win

Wrestling, that bastion of smelly bodies and cauliflower ears, will gain a touch of elegance Tuesday night in Dublin.

"Mat Maids," the girls who assist wrestling teams, from Dublin High and Granada High will compete in a Power Puff wrestling match in the Dublin gym.

Proceeds from the benefit event will help the Gaels and their Mat Maids finance a Christmas Vacation trip to Honolulu. Dublin will compete in a tournament at St. Louis High School on Oahu.

Competing in Tuesday's classic for Dublin will be; Joy Howarth, Kelly Potter, Margo Minke, Julie Dugan, Elida Zamarripa, Breneen Wolfe, Vicki Cantalini and Robin Omo. The event will start at 7:30 p.m.Tickets to the affair are $1.50 or $1 with student body card.

Sports in brief

PU 3, Dublin 0

Pleasanton United stopped Dublin, 3-0 Sunday, in the second weekend of the Alcosta Soccer League.

Al Cano, Mark Hartman and Jessie Sequeira all scored for the winners. Brett Boldrini, Greg Heyer and Ken Franks all played well.

For Dublin, Frank Davis had a strong game in goal.

Tri-Valley stopped American International, 1-0, as Rich Timmons scored his fourth goal of the season on a second-half penalty shot.

Fremont topped Diablo Valley, 2-0, on scores by Frank Castro and Larry Rendon.

Gaels go for 2

Dublin High School will go for its second consecutive non-league soccer victory this evening at home, facing Irvington High School.

The junior varsity will kickoff the evening at 6. At 7:30, the Gael varsity, which npened its season with an 11-2 rout of Memorial, .will take the field.

Eagle grid nite

The Livermore Eagles will hold their annual high school football night this evening honoring all Granada and Livermore football players and their fathers.

The program begins at 7:30 with an Oakland Raider highlight film. Awards will be presented to the outstanding players on each team.

Guest speaker will be Ben Davidson, long-time star defensive end of the Raiders.

Earl Duarte will act as master of ceremonies. C.J Fracisco, Joe Schenone, Pat Fracisco and Doc Blalock all assisted in arranging the program.

Riders dig pit tootsies

Editor's Note: The author is a young Amador Valley High School student (and motorcycle maniac) who volunteered to report on last weekend's Trans-AMA Motocross at Carnegie Park. Ric stopped at race headquarters Saturday in the Dublin Howard Johnson's Motel. What follows are some impressions of the nomads who traipse the globe with their bikes, and how they spend those anxious free moments.

By RIC LUM

Arriving at Howard Johnson's, my attention is caught by four shapely young ladies. They are skate boarding across the parking lot.

The lot is full with motor homes, rent-a-cars, Ryder trucks and vans, and scores of rowdy motocross riders. They are wearing radical yellow and blue clogs. They spend the morning shooting the breeze, and making last minute checks, from motorcycles to women.

Two photographers appear, and I introduce myself. One is Mike, a short, black-haired dude from Carlsbad, Ca., and the Cycle News.

The other is "Krazy Killer Kolar," simply the greatest photographer in the universe. Ask him. He'll tell you.

Killer sports a "butch" haircut, with the letter "K" bleached on the sides of his head. His car is painted "Prime Orange", with "Krazy Killer Kolar, photo-journalist," emblazoned on it. It also wears autographs of all top motocross riders.

Krazy admits to being crazy, but so is everyone else here, so it doesn't matter.

Around the parking lot, I spot two Italian riders, Ouagglino, and Osdonero, 16 time Italian national champion America is very nice, they say, but different. Their European courses, it is agreed, are better, longer and more hilly.

Our discussion was interrupted as four beautiful ladies strolled out of the motel, and disappeared in the chocolate brown Mercedes of American rider Brad Lackey.

Roger DeCoster's wife came around to wish my Italian friends luck Everyone turned and watched as she strode to her own car. When she left, we all faced each other and smiled. The discussion evolved into a discourse on "Pit Tootsies."

By 2 p.m., mechanics and riders were preparing for "Tech Inspection," and being plied with free goods from parts peddlers.

A caravan of vehicles spewed out of the motel lot, and headed for Crown Chevrolet, where the inspection would be conducted.

A Dirt Bike Promotions van was located at the inspection site Riders were given a list of products to indicate which they used. If they could win Sunday, they'd earn extra money for promoting the goods.

Inspectors looked for loose or defective parts, and illegal metals. Then came the sound test, and a $100 contingency payment to the quietest bike.

More people poured into the "Tech" station. All the names from biking were here. They are one big family on tour, friendly, willing to help out.

Onlookers call the riders outrageous, crazy. But the whole scene left a favorable impression.

4-A tickets now on sale

Tickets are on sale at Granada High School this week for the Matadors' Four A football showdown with Pinole Valley Friday night at Diablo Valley College.

Beginning today, students may purchase playoff tickets at noon in the multi-purpose room, or during the rest of the day in the main office.

Advance sale price for students of any EBAL school is $1.50 with student body card. At the gate, tickets will be $4

Adult ticket prices are $4 regardless, but may also be purchased in advance.

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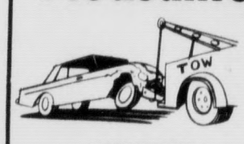
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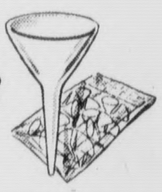
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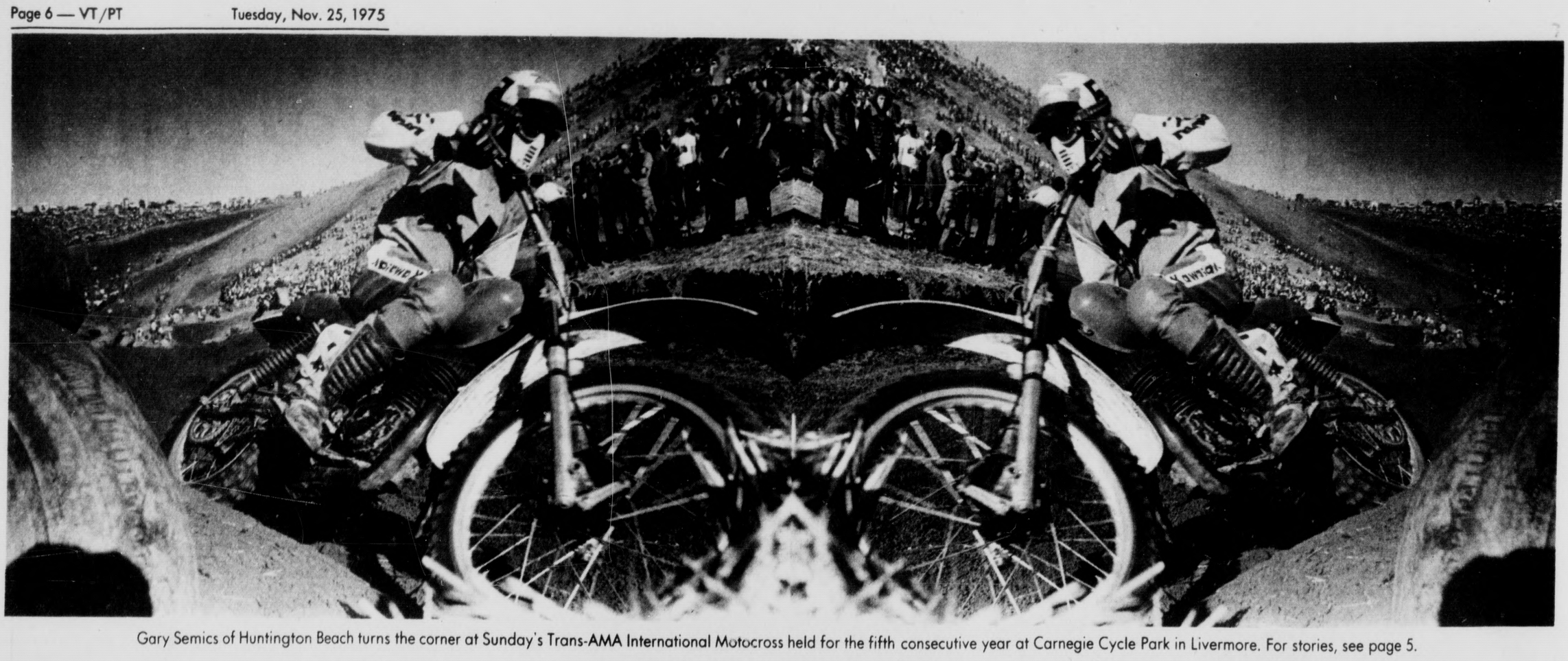
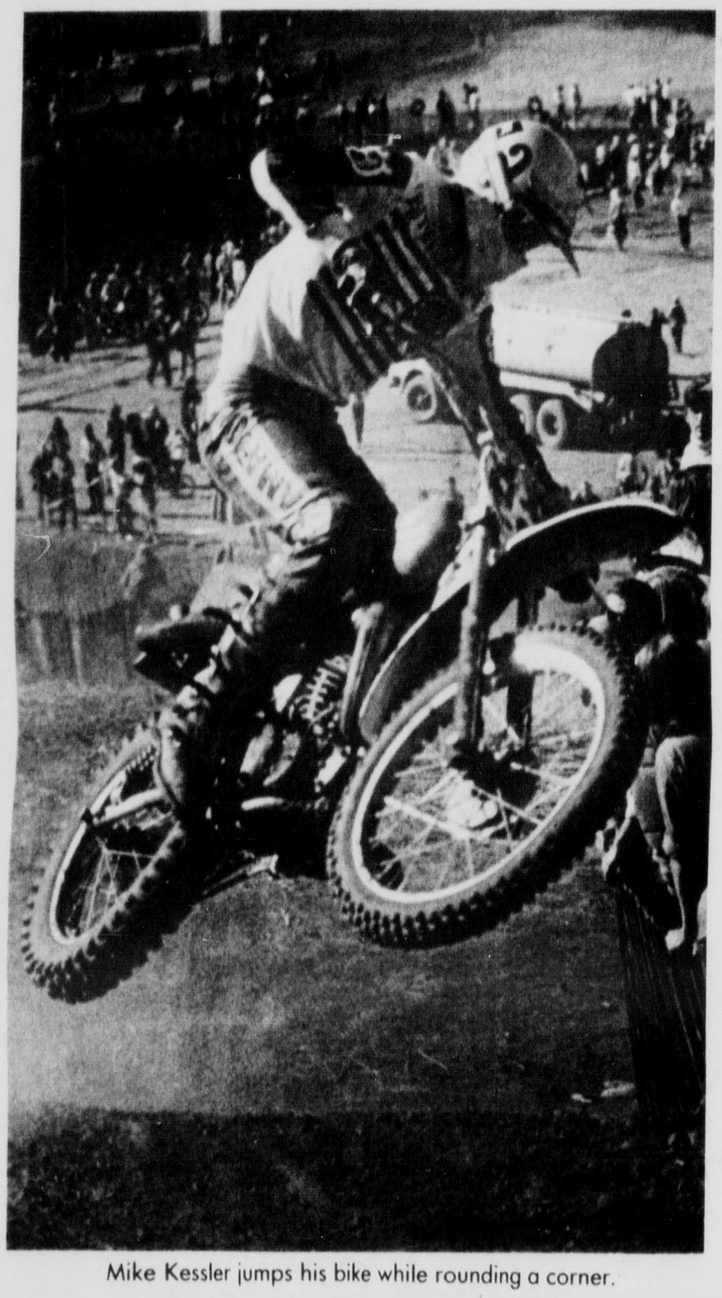


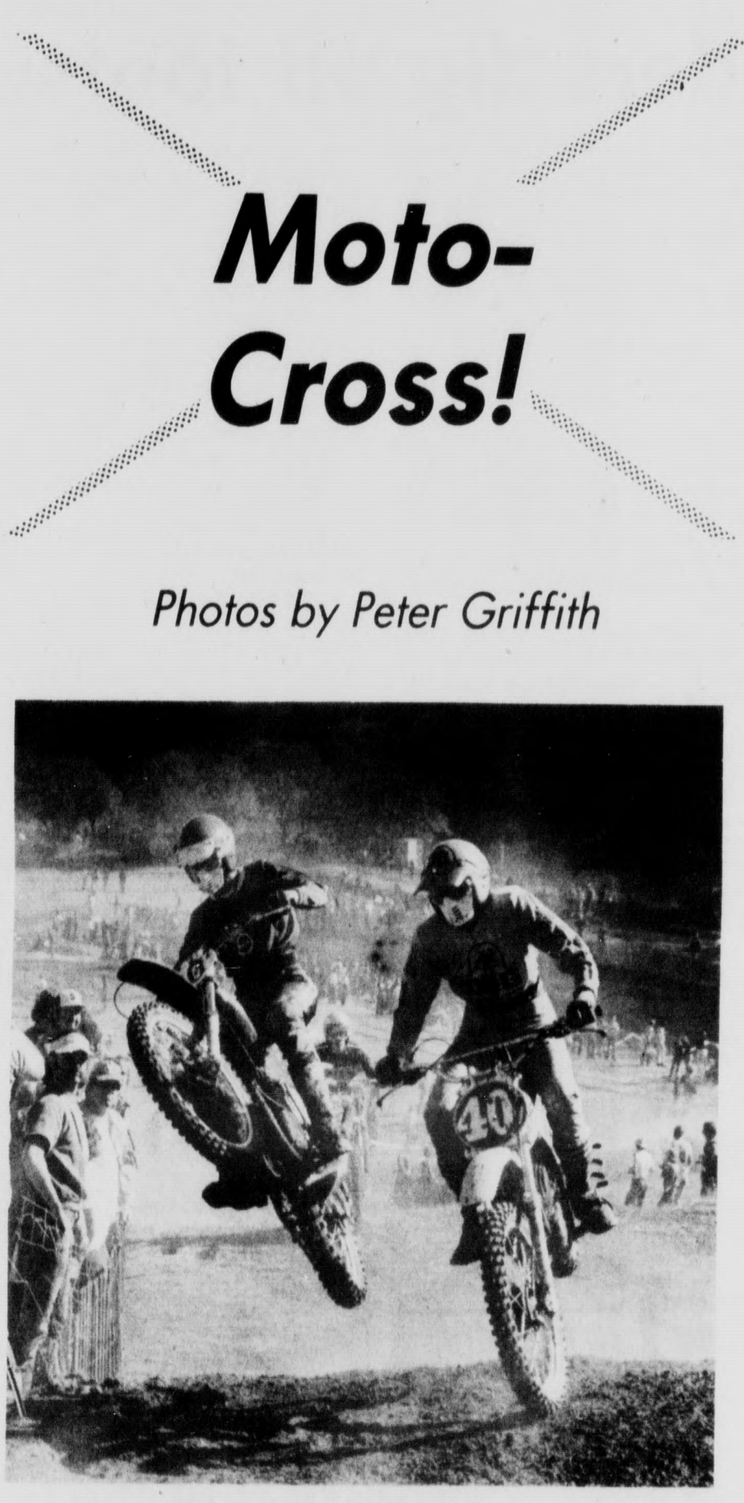
Gary Semics of Huntington Beach turns the corner at Sunday's Trans-AMA International Motocross held for the fifth consecutive year at Carnegie Cycle Park in Livermore. For stories, see page 5.

Moto-Cross!

Photos by Peter Griffith



Mike Kessler jumps his bike while rounding a corner.



Ken Zahrt and Rick Kidd fight for position.

Marty Smith hurtles his bike over some rough turf.

Two racers speed along as the sun begins to set on the speed/endurance race.

Protective gear makes these bikers seemingly unhuman as they prepare for the start of Sunday's race.

Television Listings

Tues., Nov. 25

8:00 A.M.
5-10—Capt. Kangaroo
7-13—A.M. America
9—Yoga with Lilias
40—Speed Racer

8:30 A.M.
2—Romper Room
9—Mister Rogers
40—Dennis the Menace

9:00 A.M.
2—Big Valley
3-4—Celebrity Sweepstakes
5—Kathryn Crosby
7—A.M. San Francisco
9—Sesame Street
10—At Nine on Ten
13—Morning Scene
40—Jack LaLanne

9:30 A.M.
3-4—Wheel of Fortune
5-10—Price Is Right
40—I Love Lucy

10:00 A.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "Beat the Devil"
Tues: "Hellcats of the Navy"
Wed: "Let No Man Write My Epitaph"
Thurs: "A Boy Ten Feet Tall"
Fri: "Gypsy Girl"
3-4—High Rollers
5-10—Gambit
9—Electric Company
13—Truth or Consequences
40—Movies:
Mon: "Man from the Diners' Club"
Tues: "Dragonwyck"
Wed: "The Deep Blue Sea"
Thurs: "Hey There, It's Yogi Bear"
Fri: "Immortal Sergeant"

10:30 A.M.
3-4—Hollywood Squares
5-10—Love of Life
7-13—Happy Days
44—Not For Women Only

11:00 A.M.
3—Magnificent Marble Machine
4—Somerset
5-10—Young and the Restless
7-13—Showoffs
36—Left, Right and Center
44—News Talk

11:30 A.M.
3-4—3 For the Money
5-10—Search for Tomorrow
7-13—Rhyme and Reason
36—Yoga
44—New Zoo Revue

NOON
2—Courtship of Eddie's Father
3-4-5-10—News
7-13—You Don't Say
9—Woman
36—Movies:
Mon: "Pyro"
Tues: "Sons of Vengeance"
Wed: "Hercules, Prisoner of Evil"
Thurs: "Dixie"
Fri: "South of the Tana River"
40—Dick Van Dyke
44—Leave It To Beaver

12:30 P.M.
2—That Girl
3-4—Days of Our Lives
5-10—As the World Turns
7-13—All My Children
9—Yoga
40—Andy Griffith
44—Movies:
Mon: "Mr. Winkle Goes to War"
Tues: "The Big Hangover"
Wed: "Storm Warning"
Thurs: Hocus Pocus Special
Fri: Hocus Pocus Special

1:00 P.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "Affair in Trinidad"
Tues: "Marriage-Go-Round"
Wed: "Kiss the Girls and Make Them Die"
Thurs: "Thunderhead, Son of Flicka"
Fri: "Comanche Station"
5-10—Guiding Light
7-13—Ryan's Hope
40—Movies:
Mon: "I'll Cry Tomorrow"
Tues: "Garden of Evil"
Wed: "The Kiss of Death"
Thurs: "Snow White and the Three Stooges"
Fri: "Crest of the Wave"

1:30 P.M.
3-4—The Doctors
5-10—Edge of Night
7-13—Let's Make A Deal

2:00 P.M.
3-4—Another World
5-10—Match Game
7-13—$10,000 Pyramid
36—Mike Douglas
44—Underdog

2:30 P.M.
5-10—Tattletales
7—One Life to Live
13—To Tell the Truth
44—Huck and Yogi

3:00 P.M.
2—Porky & Friends
3—Movies:
Mon: "The Disappearance"
Tues: "The Endless Summer"
Wed: "It Happened In Rome"
Thurs: To Be Announced
Fri: "Kings Go Forth"
4—Ironside
5—Musical Chairs
7-13—General Hospital
9—Yoga
10—Dinah!
40—Mickey Mouse Club
44—Popeye

3:30 P.M.
2—Batman
5—Concentration
7—Movies:
Mon: "Lassie Come Home"
Tues: "Son of Lassie"
Wed: "Hills of Home"
Thurs: "Courage of Lassie"
Fri: "The Sun Comes Up"
13—One Life to Live
36—Movies:
Mon: "Cleopatra"
Tues: "Circle of Danger"
Wed: "Sensations"
Thurs: "Four Days Leave"
Fri: "Silver Queen"
40—Captain's Cartoons
44—Three Stooges

4:00 P.M.
2—Mickey Mouse Club
4—Merv Griffin
5—Dealers Choice
9—Mister Rogers
10—Mike Douglas
13—Beverly Hillbillies
40—Munsters
44—Little Rascals

4:30 P.M.
2—Gilligan's Island
5—Mike Douglas
9—Sesame Street
13—Gomer Pyle
40—Partridge Family
44—Flintstones

5:00 P.M.
2—Partridge Family
3—Bewitched
7—News
13—Adam-12
40—Mod Squad

5:30 P.M.
2—Bewitched
3-4-7-10-13—News
9—Electric Company
36—Get Smart
44—Monkees

6:00 P.M.
2-40—Star Trek
3-4-5-7-10-13—News
9—Carrascolendas
36—Movie: "Flying Down to Rio"
44—Brady Bunch

6:30 P.M.
9—Vol Quitzow Dance Co.
13—Merv Griffin
44—Adam-12

7:00 P.M.
2-40—FBI
4—Truth or Consequences
5-7—News
9—Consumer Survival Kit
10—Concentration
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
3—Seven Thirty
4—Bobby Vinton
5—Dealer's Choice
7—Let's Make A Deal
9—News
10—Price Is Right

8:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "All the King's Men"
3-4—Movin' On
5-10—Good Times
7-13—Happy Days
9—Rivals of Sherlock Holmes
36—Movie: "In Name Only"
40—Movie: "Topkapi"
44—Dinah!

8:30 P.M.
7-13—Welcome Back, Kotter

9:00 P.M.
3-4—Police Woman
5-10—Switch
7-13—Rookies
9—Ascent of Man

9:30 P.M.
44—Best of Groucho

10:00 P.M.
2-40—News
3-4—Joe Forrester
5-10—CBS Reports Pt.I: Assasination of JFK
7-13—Oscar's Greatest Music: Special
9—Monty Python's Flying Circus
36—Merv Griffin
44—Movie: "White Heat"

10:30 P.M.
9—No Honestly
40—Not For Women Only

11:00 P.M.
2—Bilko
3-4-5-7-9-10-13—News
40—Thriller

11:30 P.M.
2—Honeymooners
3-4—Johnny Carson
5-10—Banacek
7-Movie Mystery: "Alien Lover"
13—Ironside
36—Movie: "Walk Softly, Stranger"

MIDNIGHT
2—McHale's Nave
36-40—Movies All Night

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REALLY? HOW LONG IS IT?
WELL, HE'S BEEN ON THE ROAD FOR 2 YEARS AND HIS BEARD HASN'T LEFT HOME YET!
P.T. BIMBO
11-25
THE BORN LOSER
...THEN, SOMETIMES I FANTASIZE ABOUT BEING MAROONED ON A DESERT ISLAND WITH THIS GORGEOUS BLOND...
...SHE'S ABOUT 20 AND SEXY AND CURVY AND SIMPLY NUTS ABOUT ME AND... AND...AND...
BLIND?
MOOSE MILLER
MOOSE HEARD YOU WERE SICK AND CAME OVER TO CHEER YOU UP, CHESTER!
THAT'S NICE! WHERE IS HE?
HE'S IN THE KITCHEN!
I CAN'T CHEER YOU UP ON AN EMPTY STOMACH, OLD BUDDY!
11-25
BOB WEBER
CAMPUS CLATTER
ARE THEY PROFESSORS, BIMO?
YES, ONE'S FROM THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT AND THE OTHER'S IN MORTUARY SCIENCE
MORTUARY SCIENCE - NO WONDER HE LOOKS SO SOUR!
OH, NO! THE SOUR ONE TEACHES HUMOR WRITING!
PRISCILLA'S POP
OIL!! I'VE STRUCK OIL!
I'M RICH !!
RICH! RICH! RICH!!
WAIT TILL HE FINDS OUT I DRAINED MY CRANKCASE!
SHORT RIBS
HOW ARE THE TALKS GOING, MR SECRETARY?
IT'S VERY DIFFICULT TO NEGOTIATE WITH THE SHEIK.
EVERY TIME WE COME TO A POINT OF DISAGREEMENT...
... HE STARTS TO FINGER THE VALVE ON HIS PIPELINE
FRANK AND ERNEST
DO ME A FAVOR, ERNIE... STOP SAYING "SAFARI, SO GOODIE"
11-25
THAVES

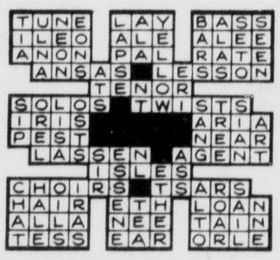
FAMILY CIRCUS

"I'm teachin' PJ to write. What do we call this letter?"

CROSSWORD

Hodgepodge

Answer to Previous Puzzle



ACROSS
1 Hula ——
5 Bird beak
8 Rosary segment
12 Shield bearing
13 Swiss canton
14 British princess
15 Book part
16 Radical
17 Ceremony
18 Traps
20 Put to
21 Fruit (pl.)
24 Fragrant oleoresin
28 Supplant
33 Pigeon
34 Candlenut tree
35 Love god
36 At all times
37 Gibbon
38 Son of Seth (Bib.)
39 Renovated
41 Expunge
42 Florida city
44 Glossy fabric
48 Embellished
53 Greedy
54 Dance step
56 Ellipsoidal
57 Unaspirated
58 Hail!
59 Girl's name
60 Large plant
61 Had existed
62 Female sheep (pl.)

DOWN
1 Ingredient for beer
2 Algerian seaport
3 Maid's name
4 Equal
5 Hospital worker
6 Before
7 Offer
8 Poet
9 Geraint's wife
10 Poker stake
11 Exploit
19 Roof finial
20 Viper
22 Fleet
23 Erect
24 European stream
25 Tennis term
26 Level
27 Simple
29 Ogle
30 Wild buffalo of India
31 Partner of bills
32 Being (Latin)
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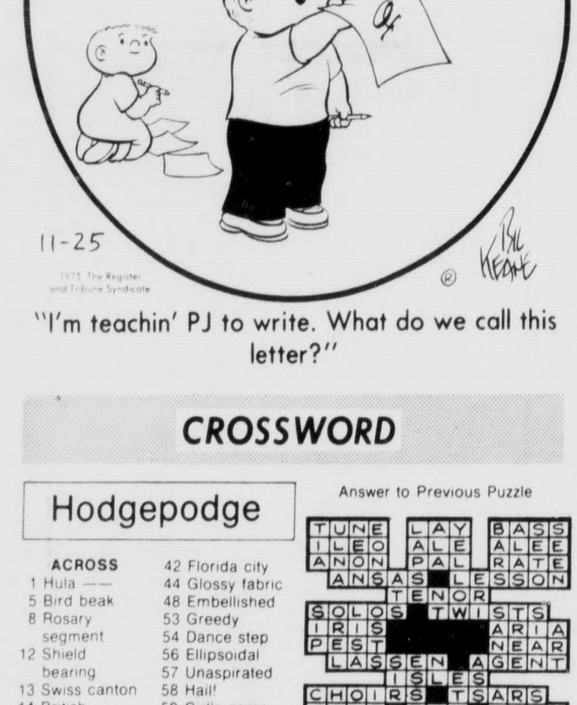

astrograph

by Bernice Bede Osol

For Tuesday, Nov. 25, 1975

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Take care of important matters early in the day. You're apt to miss connections if you let too much time slip by.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Don't buy anything large for the house today on impulse. Sleep on it first, then discuss the matter in a family council.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Be careful today you don't oversell or overstate that which you have to offer. The longer you talk, the less appealing your proposition becomes.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Drive cautiously this evening if you're doing some errands you've let go till the last minute. The stores will be open again tomorrow.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) One who knows you to be the generous person you are may cunningly take advantage of you in a weak moment today. Keep your guard up.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) If you're too pushy today, someone who was willing to help you will suddenly withdraw his support, and be a little miffed, to boot.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Don't worry about things today that haven't happened and probably never will. Be positive. Take life a moment at a time.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You'll have most of the day well under control, but toward evening your discipline may weaken. You could make some wrong moves.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Without realizing it you could be somewhat dictatorial today. If you are, you're apt to be dethroned abruptly.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Try not to make an issue of something that is quite trivial. It won't be worth the ill feelings it could provoke.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) The small print is exceptionally important today in any agreements you may enter into. Look it over carefully.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Keep your priorities in proper perspective today. The end results will be profitable and productive. Don't sweep anything under the rug.

Your Birthday

Nov. 25, 1975

Don't be discouraged this coming year if the breaks you're hoping for are a bit slow in coming. Your prospects are quite bright. Be patient.

WIN AT BRIDGE

Experts plot bid sequence

NORTH	25
♠ A K 10 5 4	
♥ K 10	
♦ K J 2	
♣ K 10 7	
WEST	EAST
♠ 8 6	♠ Q 9 3
♥ Q 9 7	♥ J 6 4 3 2
♦ Q 10 7 4	♦ 9 8 3
♣ 6 5 4 2	♣ Q 8
SOUTH (D)	
♠ J 7 2	
♥ A 8 5	
♦ A 6 5	
♣ A J 9 3	

Both vulnerable

West	North	East	South
			1 ♣
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 N.T.
Pass	4 N.T.	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	6 N.T.	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead — 8 ♠

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Here is another reader's question hand. It presents problems in both bidding and play. The bidding in the box shows how two experts might well bid the hand.

North responds two spades to see what partner might rebid. South rebids two notrump to show a balanced minimum.

North's jump to four notrump is Blackwood in ordinary circles. Some experts play it as optional Blackwood. South can pass if he is really ashamed of his hand, but responds Blackwood if he likes his holding. Needless to say, South likes his three aces and two jacks and shows the aces, whereupon North settles for six notrump.

The play for six notrump is a good one. South has to try the spade finesse and it loses. Then, the hand depends on a successful club finesse. It is normal to cash dummy's king of clubs first whereupon it is necessary to finesse against East. He holds the club queen and South has his 12 tricks.

Ask the Jacobys

Our Canadian reader wanted to know what the experts would do with this hand. Our article answers him. Incidentally, in playing the spades, declarer should cash a high spade first to see if there might be a singleton queen.

(For a copy of JACOBY MODERN, send $1 to: "Win at Bridge," c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019)

CARNIVAL by Dick Turner

"Charge? Yes, Ma'am . . . and will that be with the tape deck or the citizen's band radio?"

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"He can't see you now. He's practicing his humility!"

Murray workshop scheduled

DUBLIN— The Murray School District will conduct a six-hour workshop on the Child Center Operational Assessment Tool, Thursdays, Dec. 4 and Dec. 11.

Nancy Pollock, Dublin School reading specialist, will conduct the six-hour workshop.

The Operational Assessment Tool (OAT) is a series of criterion-referenced tests and assessment instruments in the areas of reading, spelling, math concepts, math operations, language and behavior.

Developed by the Child Center's multi-disciplinary team by combining expertise in the fields of education, pediatrics, neurology, psychiatry and speech pathology, the tests were computer-analyzed to provide a regular or special classroom teacher with specific diagnostic information on the learning needs of her children.

The workshop will be held from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. on Dec. 4 and 11 with a third date to be announced

Drama club production set tonight

PLEASANTON— The Amador Valley High School Drama Club will present "Once For The Asking" tonight and Wednesday at the school auditorium.

Curtain time each night is 8:15. Tickets are $1 with student body card and $1.25 without. Tickets will be available at the door.

The comedy tells what occurs when an old lady by the name of Mrs. Goolsby, played by Nancy De Piero, grants Ashley Robbins, played by Chris Scott, his most cherished fantasy for 24 hours and what happends afterward.

Also taking prominent parts are Kelly Wilson, as Madeleine Robbins; Heather Wilson, as Michelle Robbins; Bill Carlin, ; as Alex Krumbull; David Richer, as Martin Hollingshead.

The play is directed by Mrs. Adele Denny and student director John Creamer.

BORN LOSER

If you think things sometimes go wrong for you, you'll feel better after laughing at "The Born Loser" each morning in The Times comics.

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FOUND: Irish Setter, female. 846-2891; aft. 4 p.m. call 846-4738.

FOUND: 11-14, Stoneridge area, port. 8-track cart., player. Owner ident., PPD 846-3202.

LOST: New American Standard Bible, by Neighborhood Church, Castro Valley. $50 reward. 573-6767. Ask for Richard Frank.

LOST: 2 dogs, med. white Huskey type, w/red collar & sm long haired mixed brown w/no collar. REWARD, 443-2134.

7. Transportation

RIDE WANTED: week days, mornings, 7:15-7:30, from Black Ave., Pleas., to Alcosta Blvd., S.R. 846-4900.

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9. Services Offered

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35. Work Wanted

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38. Pets & Services

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33. Salespeople

38. Pets & Services

FREE RABBITS, good with children, both males. 443-4080.

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FREE: Cute Terri-Poo/Spitz pups, short haired, black, 9 wks. Call 443-5987.

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47. Home Furnishings

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48. Articles for Sale

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54. Farm Equipment

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61. Business Opps.

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71. Offices—Stores (Rent)

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72. Industrial, Commercial for Rent

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78. Duplexes for Rent

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80. Homes for Rent

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83. Vacation Rentals

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Freshly painted 4 bdrm, 2 bath, charming home with big kitchen, family room combination, AEK, fully carpeted & draped. Covered patio, BBQ. $43,950.

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Effort begins to make Mt. Diablo landmark

By CAHTY TALLYN
Times Staff Writer

DIABLO — Work has started to have Mt. Diablo declared a state and national historic landmark.

Egon Pedersen of the San Ramon Valley Historical Society has been asking various city councils, mayors and legislators to support the society's efforts in this.

"We're just sending out feelers now," Pedersen, a resident of Diablo, said.

"We've gotten quite a good response," he said.

The movement to have Contra Costa County's most prominent mountain designated an historic spot started this fall.

"I'd been living next to the mountain four years and wondered why it was never recognized as an historical landmark," Pedersen said.

In his letter asking support for his plan, Pedersen notes Mt. Diablo "was a home and landmark for the Indians, dating back 5,000 years.

"The mountain guided the missionaries, first the Fages-Crespi (expedition) in 1772 and the De Anza expedition ... in 1776.... Contra Costa County's first resident, Dr. John Marsh, settled at the foot of Mt. Diablo in 1836.

"Because of the unequalled view from the top, that spot was selected by the United States government to be the crossing of Mt. Diablo Base and Meridian lines, from where most of California and Nevada were measured since July 18, 1851.

"Mt. Diablo Summit Road Company was formed in 1873 and Green Valley Road Company in 1874 making two roads to the top of Mt. Diablo. At the crossing a 16-room hotel was built by Joseph S. Hall and there were daily stagecoach connections to Martinez and Hayward."

Pedersen said after studying the history of the mountain he was surprised to learn it wasn't an historical landmark.

As a result, he's working to get Mt. Diablo that status. First he'll try and get it designated a state historical landmark and then a national historical landmark.

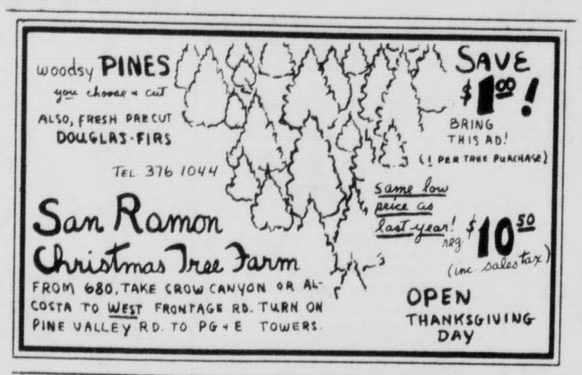
He thinks he might even be able to submit the necessary application forms to the state by the end of this year, if he gets the forms in time.

He's "quite confident" Mt. Diablo will be designated both a state and national historical landmark.

He's already gotten a letter endorsement from Assemblyman Daniel Boatwright (D-Concord) who he hopes will help push the matter through the state legislature.

The Contra Costa Park Council is one city that's also endorsed the drive.

The Walnut Creek City Council is one city that's also endorsed the drive.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